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Sir:

Applicant hereby requests that the period to take action in the above-captioned application be extended by 2 months pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket No. 010310.49996US) the amount of \$200.00 in payment of the required extension fee. A duplicate copy of this letter is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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